#### **PATENT**

#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Serial No.: 10/552,221	) Conf. No.: 6512
International App. No.: PCT/GB04/02957	)
Priority Date: 12 July 2003	)
Int. Filing Date: 08 July 2004	)
Inventor: Colin Roy Tarry	)
For: CONDUCTIVE MATERIALS	)
Atty Ref.: 198/43889/522-PCT-US	)

### PETITION TO REVIVE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

On August 25, 2006, Applicant submitted a Response to the Notification of Missing Requirements which issued in connection with the above-identified patent application via Express Mail. On January 22, 2008, the Examiner issued a Notification of Abandonment due to Applicant's failure to timely respond to the Notification of Missing Requirements.

Please find enclosed the following items to prove that the Response to the Notification of Missing Requirements was timely submitted.

- 1. A copy of the Response to Notification of Missing Requirements submitted on August 25, 2006;
- 2. A copy of Check No. 41958;
- 3. A copy of Express Mail Label No. EV389414962US; and
- 4. A proof of delivery letter from the United States Postal Service website confirming that the package was delivered on August 28, 2006.

As the Response was timely submitted, reinstatement of this application is respectfully requested.

Although the \$65.00 surcharge was already submitted, should the Examiner believe an additional fee is required, the Examiner is hereby authorized to charge same to Deposit Account No. 20-1495.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (312)704-1890 if any unresolved issues remain, or if the Examiner requires anything further.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: January 29, 2008

Biehard A. Giangiorgi, Reg. No. 24,284 James R. Foley, Reg. No. 39,979

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# RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## Dear Sir:

The above-noted application was filed under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.494, and in conjunction therewith a Notification of Missing Requirements issued on August 21, 2006.

The Notification indicates that an executed oath or declaration of the inventors must be provided. Please find enclosed the following:

- a. A Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application duly executed by the inventor;
- b. A copy of the aforementioned Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35
   U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US); and



c. A check in the amount of \$65.00 to cover the surcharge for late submission of the executed Declaration for a Small Entity.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 20-1495 any amount necessary to cover any additional costs associated with this Response in the event that the check mentioned above is either insufficient or lost, or to credit any overpayment.

It is believed that the enclosed material responds fully to the aforementioned Notice, and if any additional information is needed, please contact the undersigned at (312) 704-1890.

Respectfully submitted,

By:

Date: August 25, 2006

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My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: <u>CONDUCTIVE MATERIALS</u>, the specification of which

(check one)
[] is attached hereto 3 July 2004 as Application Serial No. PCT/GB2004/002957 and was amended on October 6, 2005 (If applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119(a)-(d) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)

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Priority Claimed

12 July 2003
(Number)
(Day/Month/Year Filed)

Prior Provisional Application(s)

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

(Application Number) (Filing Date)

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below; insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

(Application Serial No.) (Filing Date) (Status: patented, pending, abandoned)

POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: Richard A. Giangiorgi, Reg. 24,284; Raiford A. Blackstone, Jr., Reg. 25,156; David J. Marr, Reg. 32,915; Linda L. Palomar, Reg. 37,903; James R. Foley, Reg. 39,979; Timothy M. McCarthy, Reg. 42,855; James O'Malley, Reg. 45,952; Paige A. Kitzinger, Reg. 45,219; Robert J. Depke, Reg. 37,607; and Lewis T. Steadman, Reg. 17,074.

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DIRECT TELEPHONE CALLS TO: (312) 704-1890 RICHARD A. GIANGIORGI (REG. 24,284)

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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# NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/06/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/06/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 10/06/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 11/30/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 10/06/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/06/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath
  or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27,
  must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

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• \$65 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.

JOHN L ANDERSON

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# PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY

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